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Montgomery, Ala., May 17.—The governor has pardoned Spencer Webb, convicted about one year ago in Montgomery, for sending a challenge to another negro to fight a duel. It was agreed at the time of his conviction that he did not realize that he was violating any law, and that after he had served a short time the judge and solicitor were to ask the governor for a pardon.

Jordan and Smith Speak.

Montgomery, Ala., May 17.—President Harvie Jordan and E. D. Smith, of the Southern Cotton association, spoke here Tuesday at the meeting of the state [illegible]

CIRCUIT COURT AGAIN GRINDING

Second Week of Session Began on Thursday Morning.

SEVERAL CASES DISPOSED OF

Two Prisoners Arraigned for Murder, and Pleaded Guilty to Manslaughter. Other Cases of Less Gravity Brought Before the Court.

The second week of the Circuit Court for the Eight Judicial Circuit of Florida, spring term, was called to order by His Honor Judge J. T. Wills of Starke Thursday morning, when the court was organized for the work to come before it for the present week.

The court, which was adjourned on Saturday of last week on account of the primary of Tuesday, should have organized on Wednesday afternoon, but a number of those summoned to appear on the jury, and a number of attorneys interested in various cases, were not here, and the court got down to business Thursday.

The court began by empanelling as a jury the following:

J. A. J. Strickland, Jas. F. Burnett, C. F. Reach, E. L. Jackson, R. E. Johnson, J. S. Broome, R. B. Peeler, John Goss, A. J. DaCosta, E. Baird, G. J. Guthrie, J. A. Robertson.

The following cases were disposed of:

State vs. Dock Dell, breaking and entering, with intent to commit a misdemeanor. Prisoner arraigned, pleaded not guilty. Jury called and sworn, evidence and argument submitted, verdict of guilty.

State vs. Boss Robinson, concealed weapons. Appeal from justice court. Verdict, not guilty.

State vs. Mathew White, concealed weapons. Appeal from justice court. Appeal dismissed, defendant remanded.

State vs. Willis Davis, murder. Defendant arraigned and pleaded guilty to manslaughter.

State vs. Waltour Logan, murder. Defendant arraigned and pleaded guilty to manslaughter.

After a few minor matters, the court adjourned until Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

GAINESVILLE WAS VICTORIOUS.

Game Between Gainesville and High Springs Was An Exciting One.

Considering the fact that the baseball contest pulled off on the local diamond between Gainesville and High Springs Thursday was of an amateur nature, the game nevertheless proved very interesting, resulting in a score of nine to ten in favor of the home team.

The game was well attended, and was well played, from the standpoint of those who were not accustomed to witness the professional side of the National game. It may be said that at least both teams did as well as they could, which is all that could have been expected.

Gainesville was victorious in the first game and we should all tip our hats to Manager Burkhim.

Bottling Firm Dissolves.

As will be seen by notice elsewhere in this paper, the co-partnership heretofore existing between J. B. Davis and J. B. Brooks, under the firm name of the Gainesville Bottling Works, has been dissolved, Mr. Davis retiring.

The business will be continued by Mr. Brooks, who is a practical bottling works man, and who will continue the business up to its present high standard.

The Gainesville Bottling Works was established here many years ago by Mr. Davis. In fact, it was the pioneer factory of the kind in this section, has always manufactured goods of the highest order, and has always maintained the best reputation for purity. It is needless to add that Mr. Brooks will continue the production of such goods as will retain his reputation.

Off to Cedar Key.

Mrs. Robert McClellan and children, Mrs. C. V. McKinstry, and Misses Allie Taylor and Annie McIlvaine, bent on a few days' outing on the seashore, have gone to Cedar Key, where they expect to remain for a couple of weeks. This is a jolly crowd, and it goes without saying that the time at Cedar Key will be enjoyably spent.

Received by Pope.

Rome, May 17.—The pope Wednesday received in private audience the Rt. Rev. James Schwebach, of La Crosse, Wis.

A DIFFERENCE IN LUNGS.

In the Edinburgh University three human lungs lie side by side. One is of an Eskimo and is snow white. In life, this would be ruddy with rich blood. Another is that of a coal-miner and is black. The other is of a town dweller and is a dirty slate gray, as are the lungs of most city residents. That's why consumption thrives in cities.

One reason why Scott's Emulsion does so much to keep down consumption is because it helps to keep the lungs clean and supplies them with rich, red blood. It makes the lungs germ-resisting. If the body is run down and health is at a low ebb Scott's Emulsion will build it up quickly and permanently.

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THE NEWS FROM ARCHER.

Closing of Term of School—Notes of Personal Interest.

(From a Special Correspondent).

Archer, May 17.—The public school closed last Thursday with very interesting execises, recitations, debates and music.

The ladies of Archer gave a picnic in honor of Professor Dickson and Miss Anderson, his assistant, on Friday. The table was loaded with good things, and everyone did justice to it. Professor Dickson furnished ice cream for the entire crowd, students and citizens, and all thoroughly enjoyed his treat.

The young people of Archer gave us a treat Monday night in the play "The Breakers," and it was certainly fine. Mrs. Howard from Memphis, Miss Elsie Smith, Mrs. George Fleming, Miss Minnie Snavely, Mr. R. B. Hodgson, Professor Dickson, Messrs. Sam and Guy Fleming, Turner Dunn and Mr. Brown rendered their difficult parts so naturally and correctly that everyone enjoyed the whole play.

Professor Dickson left this morning for his Tennessee home, much to the regret of his many friends in Archer.

Miss Anderson has returned to White Springs, and will be missed by her loved ones and friends.

Mr. Osborn, who has been quite sick, returned to Indiana Wednesday morning, accompanied by his wife and children. He is a noble old gentleman, and has the sympathy of all in Archer.

MR. ROGERS INTERESTING.

Spoke on His Recent Visit to Baptist Convention at Chattanooga.

The prayer meeting service at the First Baptist Church Thursday evening was of unusual interest, since Rev. S. B. Rogers, pastor of this church, who has just returned from the convention of the Southern Baptist Church at Chattanooga, addressed those present on the meeting and its deliberations.

The prayer meeting was more largely attended than usual, owing to the fact that Mr. Rogers had stated through The Sun that he would talk upon this subject. For nearly an hour he held the attention of those present, and, inasmuch as he is a most fluent and interesting speaker, commanded the deepest interest.

The Political Situation.

The political situation in the election of candidates from Alachua county is unchanged from the report of Thursday, with the exception of the office of State Attorney, for which Calhoun, Rivers and Fielding have been contestants. Complete returns from the Eighth Circuit give Fielding a majority of only two votes over Rivers, with the result that Calhoun and Fielding will be in the second primary.

Freight Claim Agents' Convention.

St. Louis, May 17.—The fifteen annual convention of the Freight Claim Agents' association of the United States, Canada and Mexico, began here Wednesday and will be in session for three days.

HAIR AND BEARDS.

They Have Played Important Parts in the World's History.

In centuries past the human hair played an important part in all judicial proceedings. Those that were permitted to wear beard and hair had rights that could not be claimed by the shorn and shaved. When men made oath they touched their beard and hair, and women placed the finger tips of the right hand on their tresses.

Servants were obliged to have their hair cut, and if a freedman went into slavery he had to divest himself of his hirsute adornments. An adult adopted by foster parents was obliged to have his beard shaved, and the shaving of beard and hair was a punishment inflicted on criminals. The jurisprudence of our ancestors dealt with punishment "by skin and hair" for small offenses and "by neck and hand" for greater crimes.

There has always been more or less superstition about hair. Great strength was implied by it, and wizards and witches knew of concoctions of hair by which they poisoned enemies. Cat's hair was especially named in the category of poisonous hairs, and even at the beginning of the seventeenth century Paulus Zacchias, a famous physician, writes of the virulent poison of the hair of cats.

Among civilized people such superstitious beliefs have gone out of existence, and only Malays give their enemies tiger hairs in broth to kill them.

THE HUMAN RIBS.

Man Has Twelve Pairs, and Woman Has Just the Same.

A man who had been sick said he was so thin he could count his ribs.

When I heard this statement I asked, "How many did you count?" He was unable to answer. Several friends were standing by, and the query was put to them. Not a man could tell the number of his ribs. One bright chap said in all seriousness that a woman has one more rib than a man, because man lost one in the fashioning of woman. And, do you know, this belief is common? Suddenly spring the question on any acquaintance you may happen to meet in the day's journeying. Unless he be a medical man he will in all probability be unable to answer.

It is an anatomical fact that man has twelve pairs of ribs and woman the same number. The four short ribs, two on each side, are the "free" ribs, and in all probability Eve was made of one of these. A man could manage to struggle through life without his free ribs, and I have no doubt that ere long some corset manufacturer will require woman to have hers removed in order to lengthen her waist and to reduce its girth. To break a few of the asternal ribs (ten altogether) is nothing; to break some of the sternal (fourteen in number) ones is far more serious.—New York Press.

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The Greek Symposium.

The Greek symposium was literally "drinking together," but before the drinking fully began there was a banquet, more or less elaborate, as the wealth and taste of the host might dictate. The guests came in their best. Even old Socrates, Plato tells us in his "Dialogue" on the subject, was not above taking a little extra pains when he was invited out. Some one met him one day in the market place, "fresh from the bath and sandaled," and as the sight of the sandals was unusual, he asked him whither he was going that he was so fine. "To a banquet at Agathon's," he replied, "and I have put on my finery because he is a fine creature. What say you to going with me unbidden?"

His Revolution.

"Speaking of revolutions," began the loquacious man, "I was the central figure in one myself once."

"Somewhere in South America?"

"No; in Massachusetts. I got caught in the shafting of a woolen mill."—Philadelphia Ledger.

He Marked.

"This," said the enthusiastic young reporter, "is going to be one of the best stories the paper has had for a month. Now, mark my words."

Whereupon the editor seized his large club shaped blue pencil and so did.

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How will your cold be tonight? Worse, probably. How about tomorrow? The trouble is, colds always tend downward. Stop this downward tendency with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Your doctor will tell you why it can do this. Ask him all about it. Ask him if he has anything better for coughs and colds. Then follow his advice, whatever it is. We make no mistake. We publish the formulas of all our medicines. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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5 37	1 15	.....	.....Tuscawilla.....	.....	3 35	9 10
5 40	1 20	.....	.....Lake Simonton.....	.....	3 20	9 05
5 45	1 25	.....	.....Hickman.....	.....	3 10	8 55
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No. 3 and No. 4 will not run between Gainesville and Fairfield on Sunday.

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A BIG DEAL IN TIMBER LANDS

Big Tract Changes Hands in Levy County, On Suwannee River.

A BIG TURPENTINE FARM

Will be Started by a Georgia Concern, Which Will Give Employment to Hundreds of Men—R. F. Lewis Will Continue in Contracting Work.

A big deal in timber lands was consummated in this city a day or two ago, with the result that Levy county will be benefited several thousand dollars a month in the naval stores industry.

R. F. Lewis has sold to Smith, Coppage & Co of Valdosta, Ga., a tract comprising 5,840 acres of the finest timber land in Levy county, bordering on the banks of the old Suwannee river. This is all virgin timber, and is said to be among the best in the State.

The purchasers, who are very wealthy, and who own and operate various turpentine farms throughout Georgia and Florida, expect to begin within a short time to work this tract, which it is calculated will yield heavily and profitably.

Mr. Lewis, who is extensively engaged in the crosstie contracting business at Lottieville, expects to continue his interests there. He employs a large number of hands, and his payroll is felt heavily by the people of that section.

COMMITTEE MEETING TODAY.

County Executive Commitee Will Count the Ballots Today.

The Democratic Executive Committee of Alachua county will meet at the court house at 11 o'clock this morning for the purpose of canvassing the ballots of the county, polled in the primary of the 15th inst.

Dr. J. F. McKinstry, chairman of the committee, has notified the members to be present, as is customary within three days following an election.

While other business is subject to come before this meeting, it is doubtful whether anything except the canvassing of the votes and business incidental thereto will be considered.

The meeting will be called promptly at 11 o'clock, and it is expected that a good crowd will be present.

Summer Excursions Via Clyde Line.

The Clyde Steamship Company will put on a special rate of $35, Jacksonville to New York and return, commencing June 1st, with limit to September 30th. The rate will be for first-class passage, including meals and stateroom berth, and they expect to carry a large number of our home people. Our suggestion would be to make your reservation early, which can be done by writing to F. M. Ironmonger, Jr., Assistant General Passenger Agent, Jacksonville, Fla.

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There are cases where an operation is the only resource, but when one considers the great number of cases of menacing female troubles cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after physicians have advised operations, no woman should submit to one without first trying the Vegetable Compound and writing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, which is free.

Miss Margret Merkley, of 275 Third Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

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"Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, shooting pains through the pelvic organs, bearing down pains and cramps compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said I had a female trouble and ulceration and advised an operation. To this I strongly objected and decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The ulceration quickly healed, all the bad symptoms disappeared and I am once more strong, vigorous and well."

Female troubles are steadily on the increase among women. If the monthly periods are very painful, or too frequent and excessive—if you have pain or swelling low down in the left side, bearing-down pains, don't neglect yourself: try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

CARD OF THANKS.

Library Association Appreciates Everyone Who Helped Entertainment.

The entertainment committee of the Library Association wish to extend thanks to the Gainesville public for their very liberal patronage and generous support of the entertainment which was given at the opera house on Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Public Library, and also to all those who gave aid in various ways, especially to the press, Electric Light and Gas Company for lights, to Mr. Layton for opera house, to Mr. Harper for use of piano, to The S. J. Thomas Company, Gainesville Furniture Company and John Seagle for use of furniture and chairs. Especially do we wish to thank the two able directors, Messrs. Hyatt and Roberts, for their valuable time, and also everyone who has taken part in it, for it was only through their united efforts and co-operation that we were able to present this very creditable entertainment and realize the nice sum of $150 for the Public Library.

Jottings From Judson.

Judson May 16.—Mrs. Frances Higinbotham fell out of the door of her house Saturday evening and was seriously injured, but we hope she will soon recover.

C. C. Doke of Trenton was here yesterday attending to business.

Charlie Williams of Gainesville is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Sheffield.

Mrs. Ann Dudley has been quite sick for a few days, but she is improving slowly.

J. H. Johnson has been quite sick Saturday and Sunday, but is getting able to be out on our streets again.

The crops are looking fine now. The rain we had a week or so ago has about dried out, and we are needing rain again, especially the gardens and vegetables. Beans are getting plentiful now.

Our Sunday school is progressing very well. Some have been kept at home on account of sickness.

The good old "Hard-Shells" had their regular monthly services last Saturday and Sunday. J. L. Beck and wife joined them, and were baptized.

A Mountain of Gold

Could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke of Caroline, Wis., as did one 25c box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when it completely cured a running sore on her leg, which had tortured her 23 long years. Greatest antiseptic healer of piles, wounds and sores. 25c at all drug stores.

A BRILLIANT SUCCESS.

Entertainment For Public Library Proved Very Interesting.

The dramatic and musical entertainment given under the auspices of the Gainesville Public Library Association in the opera house on Tuesday evening surpassed anything of the kind that has ever been given in Gainesville.

The whole entertainment showed that a great amount of careful planning and execution was given to the affair by the ladies. The hall was handsomely decorated, and the stage setting was singularly appropriate to the one-act play, "The Open Gate," which was splendidly rendered by Miss Alice Nichols, Mrs. W. J. Denby, Mr. Austin Miller and Mr. J. F. Burnett. The whole play went forward with a finished effect. Miss Nichols as Jessie showed careful study and keen appreciation of the possibilities of the character she had to portray. Ably assisted by Mr. Miller, their dialogue was rythmic and at once compelled the intense interest of the audience, while Mrs. Denby and Mr. Burnett with equal thoroughness added to the delightfulness of the whole play.

The chorus under the direction of Mr. Hyatt was a grand success. Their numbers were marked by a precision and comprehensiveness that is so essential to the proper rendition of part songs. Not only Mr. Hyatt, but the chorus deserve great praise for the way in which they responded to his leadership.

Miss Lovie Goode sang with her usual gracefulness and finish, while the applause of the audience following the piano solos of Miss Burkhim evidenced no lack of appreciation of this young lady's ability.

Mr. Hyatt in his solo work showed a voice of wide range, under perfect command. Gainesville is surely favored in having a man so capable of direction in musical matters.

Mrs. Roberts, in an adaptation of "Faust," was a fitting climax to an evening of such rare enjoyment. The audience was responsive to her every mood in the potrayal of the character of Marguerite, and as the curtain fell on the scene seemed unable to express by a prolonged applause the appreciation they felt of Mrs. Roberts' portrayal.

On every hand expression of approval and a desire for a repetition of events of this character were heard.

We believe that it is greatly to be desired that entertainments of this high order and thorough preparation be made a part of the social life of our city.

SPRING CATARRH.

J. W. McCollum & Co. Sell Hyomei Under Guarantee of Cure.

The changeable weather of spring is directly responsible for the prevalence of catarrhal troubles in Gainesville at the present time.

As a result, J. W. McCollum & Co. had a larger sale for Hyomei the past week than ever before in the years that they have handled this reliable treatment for the cure of catarrh.

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Dissolution Notice.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name and style of the Gainesville Bottling Works, in the city of Gainesville, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. J. B. Davis retiring, and Mr. J. A. Brooks will continue the business at the same stand, under the same firm name of the Gainesville Bottling Works, and will assume all outstanding indebtedness, and all claims due the old firm shall be paid to him.

J. B. DAVIS,
J. B. BROOKS.

Gainesville, Fla., May 16, 1906.

City Directory For Sale.

We have a number of copies of Burts' City Directory for sale at The Sun office. It is a handy reference book for business and professional men, giving the names of residents, with street and number. Price Reduced to $1.

FIND NO TRACE OF ASSASSINS.

Coroner's Jury Investigating the Murder of Ackerman Family.

Pensacola, Fla., May 17.—The investigation by the coroner's jury into the murder of W. G. Ackerman, his wife and seven children, who were found dead with their skulls crushed and bodies partly cremated in the smoking ruins of their home at Allentown, 10 miles north of Milton, Santa Rosa county, Florida, early Monday morning was continued at Milton throughout the day, but no verdict was reached. A large number of witnesses were examined and there are still several more to be heard.

As far as con be ascertained, there has been no evidence thus far to convict any one with the deed. There is much excitement throughout the county and a subscription of over $1,500 has been taken up which will be offered as a reward for the apprehension of the assassins.

Military Review at Tokio.

Victoria, B. C., May 17.—The steamer Tango Tuesday brought news that the day of her departure from Yokohama military review, in which 50,000 troops took part and all the guns, swords, flags, etc., captured during the war, were on exhibition before the imperial palace, was held at Tokio. The review was one of the greatest held in Japan and was followed with a banquet to which 6,000 were invited by the emperor. The Japanese government has decided to erect a tourists' hotel costing $1,500,000 at Tokio as a national venture for the encouragement of tourist travel.

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12 full quarts 10 75

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Fifty years ago one woman to every ten men worked for wages. Now the ratio is four to one.

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Wireless telegraph may be comparatively new, but the kick under the table is as old as marriage.

The growing of cucumbers, for pickels, puts about $1,025,000 into the pockets of Indiana farmers every year.

Half a lemon dipped in salt will be found quite as serviceable as oxalic acid in cleaning articles of copper and brass.

In Austria a man and a woman are supposed to be capable of conducting a home of their own from the age of fourteen.

In the German colonies white women are scarce, there being only 254 in East Africa and 289 in the German islands in the Pacific ocean.

It has been estimated that a single toad will be destroy nearly 10,000 insects and worms in one summer. So you see a toad is very helpful.

One of the best known New York actresses, Miss Blanche Bates, has turned farmer, as a relief from the nervous strain of theatrical work.

A man in Pennsylvania sold his wife for $3 and then spent the money for a banquet to the purchaser. Some women would sell their husbands for less.

An Indiana woman succeeded in laying in a stock of fourteen husbands before the authorities deemed it best to interfere and clip the wings of her monopolistic spirit.

A person suffering from an ordinary case of consumption throws off daily seven billion germs. One of these germs properly lodged in your body will eventually kill you unless you kill him.

Farmers near Almena, Wisconsin, are refusing to contract to sell their sugar beets to the sugar factory at $4.50 a ton, because they claim the beets are worth more than that as feed for their cows.

Randolph Milbourne, the Washington, D. C. music teacher, who wears woman's clothes, has got around legal objections by wearing a large silver badge bearing the inscription, "Randolph Milbourne. I am a Man."

A professional cistern cleaner says that at least once a year each housewife should put a cupful of common baking soda into the cistern. It not only kills all insect life that may be in the water, but renders it softer and better for all purposes, even for drinking. It will make cleaning unnecessary, unless trash has been dropped in to the cistern.

RURAL DELIVERY AND SUICIDES.

Members of Congress and newspapers have frequently pointed out the importance of extending the rural free delivery service, though there are some of the nation's legislators during the present session who have striven to restrict the appropriation for it. Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General P. V. DeGraw has been making a personal investigation and is convinced that the service should be increased until it embraces every rural community of the country, says The Savannah News.

Mr. DeGraw is given as authority for the statement that physicians recommend the introduction of rural free delivery in even the remotest regions, as a sure cure for melancholia and other depressing ailments that assail an isolated life. While traveling in some of the mountainous regions of New England Mr. DeGraw was the guest of a physician who showered blessings upon the system, with the daily round of the carrier. This physician explained that it was a godsend as a cure for melancholia, and that the official statistics of the isolated regions showed that the number of suicides had materially decreased since rural free delivery became general.

The physician, in futher explanation, said that thousands of persons who before the installation of rural free delivery were unaccustomed to the sight of a visitor for weeks and months at a stretch, were now cheered by the daily call of the carrier. These persons are permitted to be in touch with the outside world. They have something new to talk and think about, thereby diverting their minds from their personal troubles.

The march of progress will not let the rural free delivery fall by the wayside. If Congress in a paroxysm of economy is anxious to prune appropriations let it make the beginning in some other place.

Pure bred poultry is sought for everywhere and the price astonishes those who have never given the subject attention. The past winter at a poultry show in New York a man who had but little of this world's goods took fourteen chickens of a pure breed there, and a wealthy merchant, who is proprietor of a large poultry farm, asked what sum would buy the bunch. After a few moments' hesitation, he finally said he would take fifteen hundred dollars for them.

Alice Roosevelt Longworth has started the fad for oriental dress. The mere fact that she recently hailed from the Orient has given zest to things oriental. The light, airy green and old gold feather cape which she brought from Honolulu is destined to find favor, especially with blondes. The kimona sleeve outside short jacket of fur shows the quickening influence of Japan.

The farmer and his family who cultivate a desire for all that is beautiful and comfortable are doing much to dispel worry and trouble. And it is worry and trouble that kill. Flowers, lawns pictures, books, magazines, easy chairs, hammocks—these all favor longevity and make you happier while you do live.

The western part of South Dakota promises to become an apple country. Joseph Wells, near Spearfish, Lorence county, sold last year 3,374 bushels of apples at $1.35 a dushel, besides making eight barrels of cider and raising $100 worth of cherries, plums and pears. He did all this on ten acres.

President Roosevelt has a great opportunity to say a few words that would induce the country to take notice when he made his official observation on the Garfield oil report.

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Hammers are represented on the monuments of Egypt twenty centuries before our era. They greatly resembled the hammers now in use, save that there were no claws on the back for the extraction of nails. The first hammer was undoubtedly a stone held in the hand. Claw hammers were invented some time during the middle ages. Illuminated manuscripts of the eleventh century represent carpenters with claw hammers. Hammers are of all sizes, from the dainty instruments used by the jeweler, which weigh less than half an ounce, to the gigantic hammer of shipbuilding establishments, some of which weigh as much as fifty tons and have a falling force of from 90 to 100. Every trade has its own hammer and its own way of using it.

Legend of Sambur Lake.

One of the features of Jeypore, in India, is the wonderful Sambur salt lake, concerning which there is a curious legend. The story runs that an old fakir long ago told one of the rajahs that if he wanted to be rich he should ride a horse as far as he could go without once looking back, and the land as far as he could travel would become a field of silver, always provided he did not turn. He rode for thirty miles, and then, curiosity overcoming him, he looked back, with the result that instead of the promised field of silver he found a lake of salt.

The Father of Science.

Hippocrates is looked upon by anatomists as the father of the science. He died in 377 B. C. The modern science began in Italy in the thirteenth century. The first anatomical plates, designed to show the size and relative position of the bodily organs, were prepared and colored by Titian. All the great painters and sculptors have been careful students of anatomy. Michael Angelo, Raphael and Leonardo da Vinci were noted for their anatomical researches.

James Lick's Test.

This is told of James Lick, the eccentric San Francisco millionaire, who founded the famous observatory bearing his name. When taking any one into his service he always asked the person to plant a tree upside down—the roots in the air, the branches underground. If there were any protest the man was at once sent away, Lick saying that he wanted only men who would obey orders strictly.

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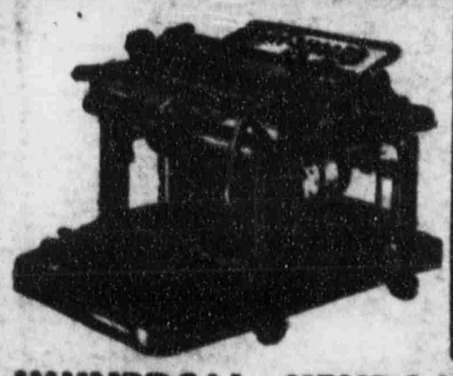

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Brief Happenings From Various Sections of State.

THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS

Transpiring in "The Land of Flowers." Things "Boiled Down" to Suit the Busy Reader—Items of Interest to All Classes.

Philadelphia capital will make St. Petersburg a southern shipping center. A steamship line will be established to West Indies.

Tampa's relief fund has been completed and the total amount sent from that city to the sufferers in San Francisco will exceed $10,000.

A meeting was held in Jacksonville Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing a Jacksonville Chapter of the American Institution of Bank Clerks.

The First Christian Church of Jacksonville has just had a beautiful new pipe organ installed in their main auditorium. It is a Kimball, and is one of the best organs in the United States.

A number of improvements are being made to the wireless telegraph station located on Anastasia Island. Among them will be the erection of a windmill of enormous capacity to supply the needs of the station.

Reports have been coming from Ybor City to the effect that the Cubans of that suburb were violating the Sunday baseball law at College Hill. The county authorities were on the watch for them Sunday afternoon and succeeded in nabbing twenty men who were engaged in a game of ball, playing and having a genuine good time.

On the morning passenger train, going North, Wednesday morning, in the drawing room of a Pullman car, Judge Eppes Tucker of Lakeland was married to Miss Lizzie Broadwell, a young lady living near Auburndale, Polk county. Rev. J. R. Bason of Lakeland performed the ceremony. Judge Tucker and his young bride continued their journey northward, their destination being Jacksonville, from whence they will choose the route for their bridal tour, returning to Lakeland in two weeks.

There was executed a contract by which the Jacksonville Development Company has been appointed sales and immigration agents for the Dowling Lumber and Naval Stores Company of Suwannee county. The Dowling interests are among the largest in this State, they owning hundreds of thousands of acres of land in the very best farming belt of Florida, most of which lies along the banks of the Suwannee river, where the cultivation of Sea Island cotton is more successful than in any other part of the State.

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Negro Workmen Walk Out.

Montgomery, Ala., May 17.—The negroes are kicking over what they term unjust treatment of the street railway company and held a mass meeting to protest Tuesday night and it was learned that all the negroe shop and round house men of the company quit at sundown, giving no reason for such action. The negroes are provided with adequate accommodations with the whites, only being forced to ride on the rear of the cars.

Spaith Held for Robbery.

Cleveland, O., May 17.—William T. Spaith, auditor of the Carl Hagenbeck circus, has been arrested here charged with the theft of $30,000 from the ticket office of the Forepaugh-Sells show in October, 1904, while he was treasurer of that enterprise. The robbery, it is alleged, occurred at Tarboro, N. C. Extradition papers have been prepared and he will be taken to North Carolina for trial.

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Three Condemned to Death.

Tripoli, May 17.—Ali Shamyi Pasha, former military governor of Scutari, and two boys were condemned to death Wednesday for the murder of Redvan Pasha, prefect of police of Constantinople, March 24. Three others accused of participation in the crime were condemned to life imprisonment and others to various sentences of from ten to fifteen years' imprisonment.

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Seaboard Parlor Cars.

The Seaboard Air Line operates buffet parlor cars between Waldo and Tampa on trains leaving Waldo that connects with the morning train from Gainesville.

NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

Mose Williams, convicted in the spring of 1905, in Conecur county, Alabama, and given a sentence of ten years for carnal knowledge, has been given his liberty. Judge Terry Richardson, who acted in place of the solicitor, agreed that after a short service a pardon was to be asked.

James Walsh and James Smith, of Goshen, Ind., captured after a hard fight in a country church and charged with robbing country stores and the Millersburg postoffice, have been turned over to the federal authorities and were taken to Indianapolis under bond of $1,000 each.

James Laugherty and Chas. Bridgewater, of Youngsown, O., the latter a negro, have been sentenced to ten years in the Ohio penitentiary for criminal assault on Mrs. Sabit Wasif, an aged Assyrian woman. They pleaded guilty.

The sheriff of Clark county, Illinois, is searching for Mrs. Harry Casteel, wife of a merchant in Marshall, who the sheriff says, eloped with a farm hand. The sheriff says Casteel only wants the child which she took with her.

The two-and-a-half-year-old son of Ross Fryer, Deer Creek, Ind., found a box of tablets intended as a powerful heart stimulant. He ate 24 of them and died a few hours later.

B. B. Crew, of Atlanta, Ga., has been elected vice president of the National Association of Piano Dealers at the annual convention held at Washington, D. C.

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A Mother at Sixty.

Bowling Green, O., May 17.—Mrs. Fred Fincham, 60 years of age, and 12 times a grandmother, her oldest living child being past 30 years of age, has just given birth to a 10-pound baby boy.

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"(Signed.) Grace Dodge,
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Committee Recommends Extension of Time Limit to Pastors.

Birmingham, Ala., May 17.—The burning issue in the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, Wednesday, was the recommendation contained in the majority report of the itineracy committee extending the pastoral limit from four to six years.

When it was taken up for consideration, it precipitated an earnest debate. A minority report signed by 14 members of the committee opposes any extension of the limit. A special committee on the case of Senator Reed Smoot presented resolutions calling for his expulsion from the senate and urging the president and the senate to bring about a speedy decision. A letter was read from L. O. Murray, assistant secretary of the department of commerce and labor acknowledging receipt by the president of resolutions adopted by the conference against outrages in the Congo. The letter said that the matter had been referred and would be considered. The committee on appeals reported affirmation of the suspension for six months of Rev. W. W. Hicks, from the Holston conference "for the repetition of an indiscretion, it being alleged that he kissed a woman."

Found Dead in Bed.

Denver, May 17.—R. J. McKinney, of Marlin, Tex., 45 years old, was found in a room at the Albany hotel Tuesday night, dead in bed. McKinney came to Denver on Monday from Marlin, Tex., and from an unused ticket in his pocket he is believed to have been enroute to California. In a memorandum book is the address of Mrs. R. J. McKinney, Marlin, Tex., and it is thought the deceased was married. No baggage was found in his room. Coroner Rollins is investigating. It is believed that death was due to natural causes.

Once Wealthy; Now a Pauper.

Chicago, May 17.—A special to a morning paper from Indianapolis says that William Herrick, once a wealthy man of this vicinity, has been admitted to the Friendly Shelter of the Poor House. While rich Mr. Herrick conceived the idea that the Bible was made purposely mysterious, and attempted to straighten out the difficult passages by research and study. For years his business was neglected, and finally led to his being entered in the poor house to which he was at one time the heaviest contributor.

Former Consul a Pauper.

New York, May 17.—Don Emanuel Contravas y Crooke, for more than 30 years a member of the Spanish consular service, holding appointments at Athens, Pekin, Glasgow, Amoy and Algiers, is destained at Ellis Island. He has relatives in the vicinity of New York, but immigration Commissioner Watchorn says a morning paper got a letter from some one saying that the old man was a pauper and would probably become a public charge if permitted to land.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years," writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally, I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me, and I am now sound and well." During the summer kidney irregularities are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. J. W. McCollum & Co

Making Standardization Trial.

Rockland, Me., May 17.—The new protected cruiser St. Louis constructed by Neflie & Levi, at Philadelphia, started out Wednesday for her official standardization trial, on the Rockland course. The contract requirement is a speed of 22 knots per hour.

Freight Steamer Stranded.

Chicago, May 17.—The freight steamer Lewiston, bound from Buffalo to Chicago, which stranded Tuesday night on the reef about ten miles north of the Chicago harbor, is still in a perilous position. The boat was loaded with hard coal.

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A man with a curious fondness for skullcaps was the Abbe de St. Martin, who, in the seventeenth century, made himself ridiculous by his vagaries. He always wore nine of these articles to keep off the cold and, furthermore, nine pairs of stockings. His mode of passing the night was more remarkable still. He caused to be constructed for himself a bed of ricks, beneath which was a furnace, so arranged that he could regulate it to the degree of warmth he might require, and his bed was fitted with only a very small opening, through which the abbe used to creep when he retired to rest at night.

Even more ludicrous was the contrivance which the great French mathematician, Fourier, designed and used for the protection of his health. He incased himself in a species of box, the interior of which, by some mechanical means, was kept at the only temperature at which he felt he could live without inconvenience. While enveloped in this clumsy affair he was necessarily confined to one spot, but he provided means for the freedom of his head and hands. Even the ills of asthma and rheumatism, one would have thought, were preferable to existence under such circumstances as this, but the French mathematician, we must believe, was of a different opinion.—London Standard.

Vitality of a Frog's Heart.

There is no living creature, according to a Philadelphia surgeon, that has a heart with so much vitality as a frog, especially the species commonly known as the water frog. It is generally known that the aquatic frog will survive for months after the hind legs have been removed. Of course he cannot hop about as he could before losing his principal means of transit, but his fore legs help him to crawl wherever he desires to go. When I began to learn surgery I made a special dissection of a frog one day. I laid the various parts of the body on a table and discovered that life was extinct within a few hours in every organ except the heart. The heart showed valvular motion for a day after it had been severed entirely from the body. I am not aware that any other creature's heart is possessed of such vitality.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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Britain's Oldest Office.

The oldest office under the crown is that of lord high steward, which was in existence before the time of Edward the Confessor—indeed, some authorities say that it was instituted by Offa in 757. For a long period this official was second only to the king, and the office was for some time hereditary in certain noble families.—Tit-Bits.

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Luck Money.

"Handsel" is the first money received for the day ("luck money"), that which is given back "for luck" by the seller to the buyer. Spitting upon it is the essence of the whole transaction, and it is practiced today, not only all over England, but all over the world. We know from many classical authors what virtue was believed by ancient Greeks and Romans (see Potter, "Archaeol. Graec.," i., 417) to lie in the act, and there is also abundant evidence of the belief all through the middle ages, and now in the twentieth century it remains as strong as ever. Otto Jahn says: "I have often seen the fishwives of Ellerbeck, when they had got handgeld from my mother, how they spat upon it. They say that it brings them besonderes gluck. They will not tell the reason. Certainly it is done to keep off witchcraft." The same thing is done by modern Egyptians and by Italians. At Posilippo I gave a penny to a deaf mute. He first spat on it, then put it to his forehead, and lastly devoutly crossed himself with it, precisely (except the crossing) as is done by modern Egyptians. Even in faroff Celebes the natives spit in the same way as a protective rite.—Notes and Queries.

When Watches Were New.

At first the watch was about the size of a dessert plate. It had weights and was used as a "pocket clock." The earliest known use of the modern name occurs in the record of 1552, which mentions that Edward VI. had "one larum or watch of iron, the case being likewise of iron gilt, with two plummets of lead." The first watches may readily be supposed to have been of rude execution. The first great improvement, the substitution of springs for weights, was in 1550. The earliest springs were not coiled, but only straight pieces of steel. Early watches had only one hand, and, being wound-up twice a day, they could not be expected to keep time nearer than fifteen or twenty minutes in the twelve hours. The dials were of silver or brass. The cases had no crystals, but opened at the back and front and were four or five inches in diameter. A plain watch cost the equivalent of $1,600 in our currency, and after one was ordered it took a year to make it.

Trolling For Tarpon.

It is not easy to hook a tarpon while trolling, for his mouth is very hard, says Julian A. Dimock in Country Life In America, and much skill may doubtless here be shown. In the playing of the fish the work is about the same as in still fishing save that more care must be used, as the hook is probably not firmly imbedded. Anold fisherman told me that he liked to be sure of his fish and so preferred still fishing, but to my mind it is one of the objections to that method. Another and stronger objection is the disturbance of my feelings in thinking that I am pulling against a fish's "in'ards." If the line does break the chance of the victim's being able to free himself from the hook is problematical, while in trolling it is the work of a minute after the strain is off the line until a sore mouth is the only symptom remaining.

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SCARED THE ARTIST.

Story of the Duke of Athall and the Cartoonist Leech.

Many years ago a Duke of Athall was held up to execration in Punch for shutting up Glen Tilt and forbidding all trespassing under pains and penalties. This recalls a good story about John Leech, told by himself at a dinner given by his friend Millais, at which Landseer and Thackeray were present. It was Leech "who held up to execration" the Duke of Athall. Look in Punch of 1850 and you will see the old nobleman there depicted as a savage, snarling hound and underneath the picture the words "A Scotch Dog in the Manger." This is followed by another pleasantry at the expense of the duke, who in a scene from the burlesque performed at Glen Tilt is made to say, "These are Clan Athall's warriors true, and, Saxons, I'm the regular Do."

Some time after this Leech, making a summer tour in Scotland, found himself toward nightfall walking "in the unprofaned heather of Glen Tilt, sacred to dukes and deer," and presently met, face to face, the duke on horseback, attended by a groom. "Is it possible," his grace exclaimed, "that I have the pleasure of meeting John Leech?"

The artist, disconcerted, explained that it was growing late and he was on his way to the village inn to stay the night. The duke would not hear of this and, ordering his groom to dismount and help the artist into the saddle, insisted that the latter should go with him to the hall. Leech was overpowered by the old gentleman's kindness, and, as no refusal would be listened to, he accepted it. But he was still a little nervous. The duke noticed it, and it seemed to please him.

On arriving at a narrow and rather dangerous path skirting a precipice, seeing his companion hold back, he gruffly told him to advance. "Now," thought poor Leech, "he'll have his revenge." The duke spoke out, "Are you the man who slandered me in Punch?" he sternly demanded. The artist felt his heart sink within him. He looked down from the dizzy height and thought of his wife and children. There was but one thing for him to do. He made a full confession and a full apology, and the old gentleman, having succeeded in thoroughly scaring him, magnanimously forgave him. Host and guest duly arrived at the hall, and dinner was ordered. Leech was shown to his dressing room, where he patiently awaited the sound of the gong. Hour after hour went by, and no sound came. He began to suspect that the duke's revenge was not complete and that he was being held a prisoner. He rang the bell.

It was answered by a scornful lackey. "I am afraid," said Leech, "that the dinner gong has sounded and I have not heard it. Is dinner ready?" "Sir," replied the pompous flunky, "when dinner is ready you will hear the gong," and disappeared. Another hour went by. He rang the bell. The flunky entered. The same inquiry was made, and the same reply was given. Leech gave up in despair. But at last came 10 o'clock and with it the looked for music of the gong. Dinner was served. It appeared that the duke had taken his usual nap and, being fatigued by the day's hunting, had overslept himself, and no one in the house had presumed to awake him.—New York Herald.

An Old News Rag.

A curious relic of the old days of the paper duties which so much hampered journalistic enterprise in the first half of the nineteenth century is the first number of Berthold's Political Handkerchief, being a news sheet printed on cotton fabric instead of paper. It is dated London, Saturday, Sept. 3, 1831; price, fourpence. And the letterpress, which is fairly legible, is as remarkable as the material on which it is printed. The tone of this news rag is intensely radical, but it reproduces the order of ceremonial to be observed at the coronation of King William IV. and Queen Adelaide on the following Thursday, and it is announced that a proclamation to the people of Europe will appear in our "next cotton." It is embellished with a medallion woodcut of Napoleon crossing the Alps, but the ink in this pictorial effort was too much for the cotton, and the Alps are in a fog and the emperor, on horseback, very indistinct.—London Mail.

Fiance and Sweetheart.

For centuries we have tried to get a word that expresses the relation of a man to the maid he intends to marry. "Intended" has been tried and found wanting. "My bloke," "my young man"—these combinations are not heard in the best circles. "My betrothed," a phrase used in Germany, has not taken root in England. "My sweetheart" is pretty enough, but it lacks the official sound. Young men and maidens become engaged and marry, but they have to cross the channel for the word that leads them to the altar. One might suggest to the blushing girl who has to allude to the man of her acceptance "my future." French maidens speak of "mon futur," and it is comprehensive.—London Chronicle.

Epitaphs in English Churchyard.

A desperate attempt at an epitaph in the Nonconformist Campo Santo in Bunhill Fields, where Bunyan, Defoe, the Cromwells and Mrs. Wesley lie buried, is found on the tomb of Lady Page, a person who seems to have suffered terribly from what we call dropsy, but which might have had another name in those days:

Here lyes Dame Mary Page,
Relict of Sir Gregory Page (Bart.).
She departed this life March 11, 1728,
In the 56th year of her age.
* * * * * * * *
In 67 months she was tapped 66 times,
Had taken away 240 gallons of water,
Without ever repining at her case
Or ever fearing the operation.

A more successful attempt is that found on the tomb of Vavasor Powell, who seems to have suffered eleven years' imprisonment for preaching the gospel. He was known as the "Whitefield of Wales:"

In vain oppressors do themselves perplex
To find out arts how they the saints may vex.
Death spoils their plots and sets the oppressed free;
Thus Vavasor obtained true liberty.
Christ him released, and now he's joyned among
The martyred souls, with whom he cries, "How long?"

—Chambers' Journal.

Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters, which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for biliousness, neuralgia, weakness and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder derangements. A wonderful tonic. At all drug stores. 50 cents.

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The People of Great Britain.

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5 41am	8 41pm	"	Boynton	"	8 20am	9 01pm
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6 40am	9 40pm	"	Fort Lauderdale	"	7 30am	7 59pm
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Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer; Devoe.

Ladies' calling cards in latest styles at Sun office.

For Sale—Young Jersey calves. Andrews Dairy.

J. H. Dye of Micanopy was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

The Sun Industrial Edition sent to any address, postage free, for 10 cents.

Lem R. Woods has gone to Tampa, where he has been called on business.

When in need of a good horse, call on us. Prices right. Crawford & Davis.

Attorney T. B. Ellis has returned from a professional trip to High Springs.

Miss Susie Smith of Micanopy is in the city visiting the family of J. P. Bauknight.

Mrs. I. E. Webster left yesterday for Lakeland, where she will spend a few days with her daughter.

W. C. Johnson and Thomas Johnston of Micanopy were among the business visitors to this city yesterday.

For Sale—My stock of dry goods and groceries. A bargain for cash. Miss M. M. Manning, Micanopy, Fla.

Nicely furnished rooms to rent on block adjoining square; gentlemen preferred. Inquire at this office.

C. V. McQueen of Newberry, one of the leading citizens of that section, was trading in the city yesterday.

Wanted—Girl or woman for general housework. Good wages. Apply this morning at 801 East Union street.

We have just received a car of mules suitable for all purposes, prices lower than anyone. Crawford & Davis.

For Rent—Part of house of six rooms; furnished or unfurnished, with stable. Apply 905 North University street.

For Rent—Rooms for light housekeeping. Also cottage. Apply 201 East Main street, N. Mrs. Thrasher.

Miss Winnie Tucker of Rochelle, who has been on a brief visit to friends in this city, returned to her home yesterday.

Found—One small key attached to dark cloth string. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement.

Be critical in the selection of your extract. Ask your grocer for Blue Ribbon lemon or vanilla. Absolutely pure. Goes twice as far.

Arthur S. Harris, formerly of this city but now traveling for the Georgia Supply Company, mill supplies, Savannah, was at the Brown House yesterday.

Col. I. E. Webster of the Dutton Phosphate Company left yesterday for points in South Florida, where he goes on business connected with that company.

Among the prominent young citizens of LaCrosse to visit the county capital are John T. and M. P. Stokes of LaCrosse, who made The Sun an agreeable call yesterday.

Miss Rosa Lee Coxe, a charming young lady of Palatka, is in the city on a visit to her sister, Mrs. A. L. Glass. Miss Coxe has many friends here who are always glad to welcome her.

Dr. N. D. Phillips, who has been ill at his home for the past two weeks, is now enabled to sit up, which will be gratifying information to his friends. It is hoped he will soon be out again.

A meeting of the Woman's Guild of Holy Trinity Church will be held at the residence of Mrs. D. C. Warner this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. Mrs. B. P. Richards, Secretary.

J. N. Haymans of Island Grove, member of the firm of J. J. Haymans & Bro., merchants, was a business visitor to this city yesterday. Mr. Hayman states that the vegetable crop in his section has been good, and the prices have been most encouraging.

Mesdames J. F. Shands and Conrad Menge of Fort Myers, who have been here for the past few days on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Shands, returned to their home yesterday. These ladies were well pleased with Gainesville, and made many friends here who will be glad to greet them again.

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GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

A. R. Harper left yesterday for Ocala and other points on business.

Dr. J. L. Kelley has gone to Rochelle and other points on business.

Miss Fannie Robinson of Tampa is in the city, a guest of Miss Rosabel Pedrick.

J. D. Stringfellow has returned from a business trip to South Florida, where he is interested in the manufacture of naval stores.

Wanted—Party to lease hotel partly furnished at Otter Creek. Only hotel in the place. All mill hands' board guaranteed. Address Otter Creek Lumber Co, Otter Creek, Fla.

Mr. Smith of Ocala is here looking after the interests of his sewing machine business. Mr. Smith has an office on East Liberty street, of which G. L. Thompson is local manager.

For rent, a furnished cottage at the sea-side, Seabreeze; seven rooms; on board walk; for the season. Next door to the Breakers Hotel. Address, Mrs. H. S. Adams, Box 79, Seabreeze, Fla.

Friends of Dr. Benj. P. Richards, who was stricken Sunday with paralysis of the left side, will be gratified to learn that his condition is greatly improved. He has the best of attention, and the chances are that he will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marks have returned to their home in Ocala, after several days pleasantly spent here with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Ellis, Sr. Mr. Marks has been ill, but is very much improved, and expects to resume his position as conductor on the Seaboard Air Line between Ocala and Jacksonville today.

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Lexington, Tenn., June 4, 1901.

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W. S. Mize has returned from points in South Florida, where he has been on business.

John P Lynch, the lumber manufacturer of Fairbanks, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Our Monthly shipment of mules and horses just arrived. Crawford & Davis.

Nicholas Bures, formerly of this city but now conducting a skating rink at Miami, is in the city. Nicholas has many friends here who are glad to see him.

AGENTS WANTED—ONLY OFFICIAL San Francisco Disaster Book. $1 50. 600 pages. Illustrations. 50% Freight paid. Credit. Premiums. Outfit free. Percival Supply Co., Phila, Pa.

Will any reader of this paper send me some information of Henry Lochbase and William Malone, who lived in this county some years ago? Same will be appreciated by a relative. Fred Bauer, 1600 W. Market street, Louisville, Ky.

For Rent—The Clarendon cottages at Seabreeze; splendidly equipped for housekeeping; to rent for the summer months. Fine bathing and fishing. Rent reasonable. "The Breakers" are now open for summer guests. For terms apply to J. B. Crocker, Cashier, Seabreeze, Fla.

Mrs. D. C. McIntosh of Rex, accompanied by her son, Prof. M. C. McIntosh, and daughter, Miss Nannie, arrived in the city yesterday. The former has been ill for some time, and came here to receive the care of a physician. Friends trust that her condition will soon improve.

The Central City baseball team, colored, returned Wednesday from Ocala, where they played a series of two games with the Brick City team. The Central Cityes returned with flying colors, as they were successful in both instances. This is one of the strongest colored teams in the State, as has been demonstrated upon several occasions this season.

Hon. W. A. Strickland of Paradise, the efficient member of the Democratic Executive Committee from his district, was among those who visited this city yesterday. Mr. Strickland was under the impression that the meeting of the committee would be held to canvass the returns, etc., on Thursday, but missed his date by one day. He will, therefore, be compelled to return today.

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AT RACKET PRICES!

Bed Room Suits.
Oak Rockers.
Dining Chairs.
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In Dress Silks, Medallions, Laces, Figured Organdies and Shirt Waists.

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Are all the rage now.
We have them in Silk and Washable Linen at.

$1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Each.

MRS. R. WILSON.

Miss Winnefred Pedrick is spending a few days with relatives at Wacahoota and Micanopy.

Wanted—Fifteen trackmen. Wages, $1 50 per day. Apply J. P. Lynch, Fairbanks, Fla.

Deputy Sheriff Osteen of Osceola, one of the most popular officers in the county, is spending this week here, being in attendance at the court.

Among the visitors to this city yesterday was W. J. Hodge of Alachua, who is conducting a market at that place. Mr. Hodge is also a progressive farmer, owning a nice place in the vicinity of Alachua.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Osborne, two sons, W. C. and L. N. Osborne, and daughter, Mrs. Seagraves, all of Plainfield, Ind., who have been spending the past few months at Archer, have returned to their home. During his stay at Archer Mr. Osborne was stricken with apoplexy, from which he has been suffering ever since. He is considerably improved, however, much to the gratification of his friends. It is hoped that he will return to this section next season entirely recovered.

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(1 Only) three-piece Oak, Rubbed and Polished—Handsomely Carved, retails for $35.00. Our prices $40.00.

(3 Only) three piece Oak, Gloss-Finished, Large Glass, Nicely Carved, retails for $23.00. Our price $17.75.

(4 Only) three-piece Oak, Gloss-Finished, French Beveled Glass, Nicely Carved, retails for $20.00. Our price $15.75.

IRON BEDS, IRON BEDS.

CHOICE OF THREE COLORS.

$12.00 Kind Going at	$8.00
$10 00 Kind Going at	6.00
$8.00 Kind Going at	5.00
$6 00 Kind Going at	4.50
$5.00 Kind Going at	3 50
$4.00 Kind Going at	2.75
$2.50 Kind Going at	1.85

SOLID OAK ROCKERS.

$5 00 Kind Going at	$3.50
$4 50 Kind Going at	3.25
$4 00 Kind Going at	2.75
$3 00 Kind Going at	2.00
$2.25 Kind Going at	1.50
Oak Nursery Rockers at	85c and $1 00

DINING CHAIRS.

Solid Oak, Cane of Cobbler Seat. Nicely Finished.

$1.00 Kind Going at	65c
$1 25 Kind Going at	85c
$2 25 Kind Going at	$1 50

SPRINGS.

Bessemer Steel Wire Springs.

$2.50 Folding 120 coils	$1 75
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We guarantee this Spring for 5 years.

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Hard-Wood Frames and Woven Wire Tops.

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$2.00 Kind Going at	$1.60
$2 25 Kind Going at	1.80
$2 75 Kind Going at	2.00
$3.00 Kind Going at	2.25

OAK EXTENSION TABLES.

$5.50 Kind, 6 ft long, going at	$4.50
$8 50 Kind, 6 ft long, going at	6.50
$10.00 Kind, 6 ft long, going at	7.75
$12.50 Kind, 6 ft long, going at	9 25
$12 00 Kind, 6 ft long, going at	8 75
$15 00 Kind, 8 ft long, going at	10.50

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